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Some private and co-operative creameries in Illinois and other dairy states are following a plan which does much to encourage patrons to increase the size of their dairy herds. The plan consists in helping the patron to select good cows and in lending him money with which to buy other cows. One-half of the amount of his subsequent milk checks is withheld until the cows bought are paid for. This plan not only gives the farmer of small means a lift, but is a direct benefit to the creamery whose volume of business is thereby increased. Within reasonable limits this plan would seem to be most excellent.

Fifty-one millions of dollars is given as the extent of the damage to chestnut trees in portions of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, near New York city, from a bark disease which has been found to be of fungous origin. In Forest park, Brooklyn, alone 16,000 trees have succumbed to the pest. The department of agriculture has made a study of the disease and suggests as means of prevention that all nursery stock shipped be inspected and that all affected trees be cut down and completely burned in the shape of fuel and brush. It is thought that this disease came from Japan in shipments of nursery stock, though the fact has not been fully established.

## FARMER VICTIM OF PETTY SPITE

Benjamin F. Kepner of Highland Township Loses Quince Tree and Gate through Malice of Unknown Party. Tamper with Mail Boxes.

Benjamin F. Kepner, of Highland township, has been the victim of the depredations of an unknown party during the past few days. A large part of the work has been done in broad daylight and Mr. Kepner has a strong suspicion of the guilty person.

The first piece of work which the annoying party put through was cutting down a fine quince tree which would have borne fruit for the first time this year. The family was away from home and when they returned found the tree lying in the yard, the unwelcome visitor evidently not caring for the tree but simply to cause Mr. Kepner annoyance.

The next visit resulted in the rear gate being removed. It was found a short distance away and Mr. Kepner later put it in its accustomed place, where it has remained ever since.

The most serious offense however took place when Mr. Kepner's mail box was tampered with. No mail is known to have been taken but the box was opened and his Gettysburg Times badly mutilated, evidently the work of some one holding a petty spite.

Mr. Kepner is very much worried by these annoying visitations and will have the party brought to justice if caught.

Joseph Grimes, also of Highland township, had his mail box opened a few nights ago and filled with decayed watermelon. Parties tampering with mail boxes evidently do not realize what a serious offense it is.

## GETTYSBURG SCHOOL REPORT

The report of the Gettysburg Public Schools for the first month is as follows: The figures representing the number enrolled, average attendance, percentage of attendance, number present every day, number of cases of tardiness:

School	Enrollment	Average Attendance	Percentage of Attendance	Number Present Every Day	Number of Cases of Tardiness
High School	115	107	98	77	49
8th grade	28	26	98	19	7
7th grade	38	36	97	24	6
7th and 8th grades	32	30	97	21	30
6th grade	38	36	97	25	27
5th grade	40	38	97	24	6
5th and 6th grades	35	33	96	22	11
4th grade	37	36	96	31	25
3d grade	48	45	97	31	15
2d and 4th grades	40	39	99	33	19
2d grade	40	38	97	25	12
1st grade	33	27	93	15	2
1st grade	34	30	93	17	6
Colored school	30	25	86	4	16

Total enrollment 588, average attendance 546, percentage of attendance 96, number present every day 368, number of cases of tardiness 231.

The co-operation of parents is asked in order to reduce the number of cases of tardiness.

We would also call attention again to the monthly reports sent to parents. Every pupil receives one and parents should examine and sign them. They will show just what kind of work the pupils are doing.

W. A. Burgoon, Supervising Principal.

## TO THE FAR WEST

Biglerville, Oct. 5.—Frank Haverstock, of near Arendtsville, has left for Wrightsville, Washington, where he has secured employment. His many friends wish him success.

All entries for the horse races on Friday, Oct. 8th, must be sent in to the secretary, Edgar C. Tawney or Ben Kindig, president, by Wednesday, Oct. 6, at 8 p. m.

FOR SALE—I will sell the lot adjoining my residence on north side of Lincoln street. 100 feet front x 180 deep. Charles S. Duncan.

You can buy a new sewing machine at Spangler's Music House on terms of fifty cents per week.

FOR SALE—I will sell my double desirable business and dwelling property on York street. large store rooms, 14 large living rooms, with all modern conveniences. Inquire at Spangler's Music House, York street, Gettysburg, Pa.

We will pay 25 cents per hundred more for calves than anyone else in the county. This offer good only on next Friday morning until 9 o'clock. Spalding Brothers.

FOR SALE—I will sell my closed top organ wagon cheap. This wagon is as good as new, suitable for huckster or baker. Spangler's Music House, Gettysburg.

FOR RENT—Desirable residence in Gettysburg, 23 East Middle street, adjoining Methodist Church. All conveniences. Ten rooms and bath and pantry. Front, rear and side porches. Immediate possession. Inquire on premises. J. L. Knickerbocker.

## MANY CONCRETE PAVEMENTS LAID

Forward Step Taken toward Giving Gettysburg Good Sidewalks. Johns Stretch the Longest, Court House Next. Other Pavements.

The increased activity in the laying of concrete pavements, as the Fall season hastens on, is being watched with much interest by the people of Gettysburg who are interested in the advancement of the town.

The two most notable operations now in progress are those at the McKnight building and at the Court House. A new thing for Gettysburg will be introduced in the laying of the former pavement, the curb being re-enforced with steel. This is said to make it a great deal more durable and to increase the life of the concrete. The work at the Court House is the longest single stretch in town with the exception of the Johns pavement on Steinwehr avenue.

In addition to the Court House pavement the steps and "portico" have been straightened and put in place again and a concrete step made leading up to the granite steps in front of the building. The entire space formerly covered by brick pavement will now be concrete and the unsightly offset will be done away with. Mr. Johns' quarter mile stretch of new pavement, above referred to, has been much appreciated by residents of that portion of town all during the summer.

The pavement and curb of concrete at the new High School Building make another specially good appearance while the numerous private individuals who have put down concrete sidewalks during the past few months are entirely "too numerous to mention."

Gettysburg has long realized that good pavements are her "short suit" and the changes for the better along this line are being welcomed on all sides. The residential portions of town as well as the business sections are rapidly seeing the construction of concrete pavements and the change along this line is in keeping with the erection of new residences and the remodeling of old ones.

## TOLLGATE HOUSE BURNED

East Berlin, Oct. 5.—Tollgate house No. 4, one mile east of East Berlin, on the Berlin and Hanover turnpike, was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday morning, at 2 o'clock. James Howe, the tollgate keeper, managed to save a portion of his furniture, but the major part of it was destroyed. The origin of the fire is not known, although Mr. Howe suspects incendiaryism. The total loss is estimated at \$1200. The loss on the building is \$1000, and on the furniture \$200, which is partially covered by insurance.

## CONVENTION

The most successful Sunday School Convention ever held in the Third District of Adams County, was held at Mt. Joy Church on Sunday afternoon and evening. At both sessions the large church was filled. The speakers held the attention of their audience from the beginning until the end. The most attractive feature was the presence of the Gettysburg College Quartette. The subjects, which were chosen, and the speakers were the best that could be had for the occasion.

## HAD UGLY FALL

Barlow, Oct. 5.—On Saturday morning while threshing rye Silas Horner had a fall that might have proved fatal. While they were in the act of threshing rye from the overden, Mr. Horner slipped and fell to the floor below, his side striking the hub of one of the wheels of the threshing. Mr. Horner is getting along as well as can be expected at present, but it is feared that several ribs are broken.

WANTED—A partner in a good paying butcher business. Apply by letter to No. 27, Times office, Gettysburg.

FOR SALE: a lot of new heat pipes for large furnaces. Apply to Chas. S. Duncan.

Go to Spangler's Music House for a good Sewing machine, Singer, Wheeler and Wilson and Free.

The management of the Gettysburg Driving Club has provided a good program for their last grand matinee at the driving park on Springs avenue, Friday, Oct. 8, at 1 p. m. All local horses. Don't miss the sport. Admission 25 cents.

Two rooms for rent. Apply at Times office.

Wait for the O. of L. A. excursion to Baltimore October 16.

FOR SALE: a copper-bottom. Apply 230 York street.

## SHORT PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Paragraphs Telling the News of the Town and County and of Some Places Nearby. Short Items for Quick Reading.

Mrs. Charles S. Duncan is spending several days in Washington, D. C.

N. H. Musselman has bought several tracts of timberland in Berwick township.

Miss Hilda M. Millen, of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Sieber on West Middle street.

Dr. S. G. Hefelbower is spending several days in Philadelphia attending the sessions of the East Pennsylvania Synod of the Lutheran church.

Maurice Bender has gone to Baltimore to enter the Medical Department of Johns Hopkins University.

Miss Marguerite Williams, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Lomax at her home on Carlisle street.

Rev. Luther Sieber, of New Haven, Connecticut, is spending some time at his home in this place.

Miss Louise McKnight has returned to her home in Pittsburgh after a visit of several weeks at the home of Mrs. Cox on Baltimore street.

Mrs. Hefelbower and her guests, Mrs. Snyder, Mrs. Kalbaugh and Miss Hitchins are spending the day in Harrisburg.

Miss Louise Duncan has gone to Washington where she will attend Mrs. Smallwood's School in that city during the coming winter.

Miss Celia Bailey spent Sunday at her home in this place.

Chester Ziegler, assayer at the United States Mint, Philadelphia, is visiting relatives here for several days.

## SURPRISE PARTY

A very enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nunemaker, of Gettysburg route 1, on Saturday evening, October 2. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nunemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Young, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Baker, Mr. Conrad Snyder, Misses Ruby Walker, Ida Snyder, Carrie Nunemaker, Naomi Straley, Lula King, Mabel Miller, Effie Schwartz, Elsie Sherman, Martha Snyder, Elizabeth White, Blanche Nunemaker, Clara Snyder, Agnes Straley, Lucy Nunemaker, Margie Folk, Ruth Horner, Annie Horner, Beulah Sherman, Edna Rohrbach, Emma Harner, Queen Wolfert, Mary Rohrbach, Marie Snyder, Elizabeth Baker, Pauline Nunemaker, Messrs. Clarence Derr, Charles Miller, Lake Reaver, Claude Snyder, Charles Young, Allen Walker, Clarence Nunemaker, George Groft, Charles C. Miller, Charles Stock, William Harner, Ivan Snyder, Clayton Rohrbach, Paul Miller, Leason Snyder, Mervin Weikert, Roy Foulk, Ira Baker, George Patterson, Howard Schwartz, Guy Sherman.

A Guest.

## FUNERAL

The remains of Rev. Eugene Halfmeyer, late rector of Sacred Heart Church, Conewago Chapel, were brought on Saturday evening to the rectory of the church at Conewago. The funeral arrangements were made by Rev. John L. Shields, assistant rector of the church. The services were held in Conewago Chapel this morning at 10 o'clock. The divine office preceded the requiem mass, commencing at 9:30 o'clock. A large number of priests of the diocese were present and assisted in the services.

Rev. Father Halfmeyer died in the Medico-Chi Hospital, at Philadelphia, Friday night, Oct. 1, following an operation for appendicitis.

## INFANT CHILD

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Shover, Monterey, died Sunday afternoon, aged two weeks. The child had been suffering with cholera infantum.

Funeral services Monday afternoon at one o'clock. Interment at Fountaindale.

EUCHRE will be held Thursday evening, Oct. 7, in Xavier Hall. Dancing and refreshments. 8.15 p. m. Admission 25 cents.

Just received at Wolf's Warehouse a carload of cement and one of wall plaster. Cement \$1.25 per barrel; plaster \$7.00 per ton.

FOR SALE—6 room brick house, centrally located, on York street. Sheds and other outbuildings. Inquire. Apply to C. W. Tamm.

## GETTYSBURG RURAL NOTES

Much Visiting on the Rural Routes Starting from Gettysburg. What those Living along the Rural Routes are Doing.

Miss Lettie A. Fidler, of route 12, is spending a week with friends in York.

Miss Kitcham is visiting at the home of Mr. Frank Gilbert on route 4.

John M. Stoner, of route 4, who has been confined to bed for some time is gradually improving.

Miss Carrie Warthen, of route 4, took in the excursion to Philadelphia on Saturday.

John Van Dyke, the Goldenville butcher, intends to commence business again. He has purchased a number of fine cattle and will be able to serve his patrons in his usual acceptable manner. Mr. Van Dyke resides on route 6.

C. R. Weikert, of route 4, who has been working for J. B. Weikert, has secured a situation in York as butcher. Clinton Sadtler, of route 6, has erected a new drying kiln to dry corn for making new corn meal.

Homer Kepner, of route 4, is having a busy season with his hydraulic cider mill.

Those who spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Murray, of route 3, were Mrs. Francis Bollinger and son, George, of Littlestown, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hankey and Mrs. Susan Feaser, of Table Rock, Mr. and Mrs. John Groschost and Clayton Lockman, of route 7, and Mrs. Frank J. Furney and daughters, Grace, Helen, Myrtle, Mary and Beulah, of route 3.

Carrier Flemming, of route 6, reports the heaviest mail of the year the early part of this month. Stamp sales were also very heavy.

Mrs. H. E. Rothaupt and two sons, Lloyd and Harry, of route 3, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting her parents and friends in Orttanna, returning home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herr, of route 3, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fair spent Saturday in Philadelphia.

Jonas Furney and family went to the home of P. H. Stoner on route 3 to spend Saturday evening. Their horse got sick with the colic and they were not able to return home until Monday.

Misses Myrtle and Bessie Schriver, of route 3, attended a birthday surprise party at the home of their brother Ernest Schriver in Emmitsburg Saturday evening.

Miss Elizabeth F. Bigham, of route 3, spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Dora Herr, of the same route.

Mrs. Margaret Sease and children, of route 3, spent Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Shindeldecker on the same route.

Alex. Spriggs, of route 3, spent Monday at the home of Peter Stoner.

Mrs. U. E. Weikert, of route 8, returned home Friday afternoon after a short visit to Washington.

## MRS. ELMIRA DUTTERA

Mrs. Elmira Duttera, of near Littlestown, died Saturday, Oct. 2, at her home.

She was 81 years old and is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Frank Staveland, and Mrs. Krouse, of Littlestown, and Misses Genora and Arabella, at home.

Funeral Monday, Oct. 4, at 2 o'clock p. m. Services and interment at Silver Run, Md., the Rev. Mr. Yoder officiating.

## INSTALLING LIGHT PLANT

New Oxford, Oct. 5.—John E. Graybill Co., electrical contractors, are installing a 60 light incandescent electric light plant in the machine shop of John S. Weaver and Son, who will generate their own current. The installing of this plant, the first for New Oxford, will no doubt be followed by others at an early date.

WHEAT WANTED at Gettysburg Flour Mills.

Buy your piano or organ from Spangler's Music House, Gettysburg. Satisfaction guaranteed, prices the lowest.

NINE room house on Baltimore street for rent October 15 or November 1. All conveniences. Apply County Treasurer's office or W. C. Sheely.

An attractive program has been provided for the last grand matinee of the Gettysburg Driving Club Friday, Oct. 8th. All local horses. Bring your horses and send in your entries. Don't miss this one as it is the last of the season. Entries are coming in strong and should be a grand success. Admission 25 cents. Doors start at 1 p. m.

## LETTERS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Correspondents send in Many Items of Interesting News from Their Respective Towns. Personals and Many Brief Items.

## BARLOW

Barlow, Oct. 5.—Owing to the convention many visitors were in this place on Sunday.

A large amount of corn has been cut off in this section during the past week. At some places it can be seen that our old friend Jack Frost has begun to pay his annual visits to the corn fields.

The rye thresher from Taneytown is making a circuit in this neighborhood at the present time.

Charles Schwartz's wind wheel has arrived.

The old time drought is back again in this section. There has not been much rain for some time.

A band of gypsies were encamped along Rock Creek during the past week. However, they changed their place of abode Monday.

The Barlow foot ball team expects to be out for practice before long. Games can be arranged by calling on or addressing the manager. A successful season is looked forward to. Get busy, all foot ball enthusiasts, and root for the team.

Earl Rudisill, a student in Gettysburg College, was a visitor at William Cromer's on Sunday evening.

Preaching at Mt. Joy next Sunday at 10.00. Sunday School at 9.00; Christian Endeavor at 7.00. All the members are requested to be present. Roll call.

## NEW OXFORD

New Oxford, Oct. 5.—Henry Haar, one of the rural free delivery carriers starting from this place, had a painful accident on Sunday when his hand was caught by a snap while he was leading a horse to the watering trough. The flesh was cut severely and Dr. Spatz closed the wound.

The appraisers in the Emmert bankruptcy matter completed their work here on Monday. They are J. E. C. Miller, E. C. Livingston, and Dr. W. R. Snyder.

Riley Harnish, of Gettysburg, was a New Oxford visitor on Monday.

Dr. John Sheetz, of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, is spending several days at his home on the Square.

George Sherman, a former resident of this place, now of Westminster, Maryland, is visiting friends in New Oxford.

William D. Himes made a business trip to York today in his automobile.

George Osborne, of Westminster, spent the past few days with his family in this place.

Mrs. H. A. Schnell spent Monday with friends in Hanover.

Z. H. Cashman, County Commissioner, made his highest trip to Gettysburg today. Mr. Cashman is very much interested in the improvements about the Court House.

J. W. Barnitz has started to put down a cement pavement in front of his new residence on Hanover street.

## FOOTBALL NEWS

For real live news of the foot ball world read The Philadelphia Press every day, for they publish a complete report of all big games from all nearby localities. Our football editors are experts and cover the game thoroughly, completely and accurately. Our service is complete. Hugh Doyle's cartoons are clever and very interesting. From time to time exclusive stories are published which are written by the best of experts in the various colleges. Keep in touch with all live football news and sporting gossip by reading The Philadelphia Press every day.

WANTED—Hay and straw. The undersigned will pay the highest market price for hay and straw. Loose in the mow, or baled. Write or phone to Rhinehart and Hoffman, Biglerville, Pa.

Horse races at the Gettysburg Driving Club on Springs avenue, Friday, Oct. 8th, at 1 p. m. Admission 25 cents. Come and bring your friends. Entries close Oct. 6th at 8 p. m.

The Maryland Biscuits at Yohe's bakery are hard to beat.

There is nothing better than Yohe's cream bread.

Eat Zeigler's Bread.

Have you tried the "Maryland Biscuits" at Yohe's bakery.

Be sure you buy the cream bread at Yohe's bakery.



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Office in Northwest corner of Centre Square, Gettysburg, Pa.

Want ads. 1 cent per word for first insertion and one-half cent per word for each additional insertion. Resolutions of respect, poetry and memorials one-half cent per word.

## Meats Meats

I have reopened the Morgan Mickleby butcher Stand on Carlisle Street and respectfully solicit the general patronage.

A full supply of everything pertaining to the butcher business will be kept in stock.

THE HAMS & BACON ON HAND AT THE PRESENT TIME ARE HARD TO BEAT.

Telephone orders,

V. J. Eckenrode,

## New Fall and Winter Shoes

Store open until 8 p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 15, 1909.

C. B. Kitzmiller.

## FRAMING PICTURES

Our department for framing pictures is fully equipped and the workmanship is unsurpassed.

Our photographs are so well known they need no comment.

Come to TIPTON'S for all kinds of good pictures.

20 Chambersburg street,

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## Just Received another Carload of Buggies

These buggies are especially adapted to Adams County roads—and the style is there along with the quality. Ask to see the ones trimmed in brass with the automobile seat and skeleton lined top.

Don't forget I carry all the best makes of harness and everything the farmer needs from a wheelbarrow to self binder.

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Why don't you bring them to us to be photographed; we will give you a picture that will make you prouder still.

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## TAFT PLANNING TRIP TO PANAMA

May Also Visit Alaska Next Summer.

## HE WANTS INFORMATION

The President Believes Annual Trips to Canal Will Have Wholesome Effect on Working Force—Dolliver Has Bill to Prevent Watering of Stocks.

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 5.—With a large part of the present 13,000-mile trip still ahead of him, President Taft is figuring on the possibility of a run down to the isthmus of Panama and back during the three weeks' Christmas recess of congress. The president is making plans, too, for a trip to Alaska next summer.

The trip to Panama will depend altogether on Mrs. Taft's health. Reports from Beverly of her steady improvement have delighted the president, and he is looking forward to the sea voyage to the isthmus with her. The president intended to have Mrs. Taft accompany him on his present western trip, but her health would not permit.

When he visited Panama last spring he announced that it would be his policy to make a trip to the isthmus once a year. He added that he wanted first-hand information on the progress of events there, and that he believed a visit by the executive to have a most wholesome effect upon the canal's working force.

He had originally included Alaska in his present jaunt, but the late adjournment of congress forced him to cut it out. He wishes to see the territory with his own eyes before recommending legislation in regard to its government. Next to the president's tariff speech, his Alaska program has probably aroused the most antagonism of anything on his trip.

Many persons in the Pacific coast states have business interests in Alaska, and many more have relatives who have settled in that country. The latter are ruffled at the president's characterization of Alaska's population as nomadic and unfit for self-government. They argue that the mining-town populations in Alaska are no more lacking in the qualifications necessary for self-government than were the miners of California and other mineral sections of the west that have developed into great commonwealths.

The Pacific coast people who are opposed to the president's proposed government by commission in Alaska say that is the form which the wealthy men of the territory want. All of the common people of Alaska, it is asserted, are demanding self-government.

The president's friends are looking with some concern to his stay in San Francisco. The Republican party is badly broken up there over the fight against graft, and the chances are that each of these factions will try to make hay from Taft's visit. It was learned that United States Senator Dolliver, of Iowa, has drawn a bill aiming to prevent the watering of stocks by railroads which he will introduce in the coming session of congress. The president has already announced that he not only will recommend such legislation in congress, but will also urge that no railroad be allowed after a certain period to own stock in any other road.

## FISH HOOKS IN THROAT

Chinaman Attempts Suicide on Board Steamship.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 5.—A Chinaman, whose name sounds much like Hung Lo, of the British steamship Strathleven, attempted to commit suicide in the port here, where the boat is unloading nitrate of soda.

He was cut down by the captain and another Chinaman, and when they made an examination it was found that he had attempted to swallow a number of small fishhooks. These were removed from his throat, where they had lodged, and he soon revived.

## Five Injured in Trolley Wreck

Birdsboro, Pa., Oct. 5.—Five persons were slightly injured in a trolley accident on the outskirts of this borough. While the car was descending Clingmans grade, near where the road passes under the tracks of the Reading and the Pennsylvania railroads, the brake slipped and the handle hit the motorman, Fred Rice, in the side. Before he could recover from the blow and again apply the brake the car struck the sharp curve and left the track.

## Bird Lines Nest With Silk.

Darby, Pa., Oct. 5.—A silver thimble, several pieces of silk, a 10-cent piece and a great mass of silk floss were found in a bird's nest by Richard Purdy, of Tenth and Main streets.

## Degree For Whitelaw Reid.

London, Oct. 5.—Whitelaw Reid, American ambassador, received the honorary degree of LL. D. from the University of Manchester.

## The Weather.

Forecast for this section: Fair to day and tomorrow; not much change in temperature; light to moderate variable winds.

## Alphabetical Writing.

Undoubtedly the most important invention in human history was that of the art of alphabetical writing. The first alphabet was devised by the Phoenicians, who gave the idea to the Greeks. They passed it to the Romans, whose alphabet is the basis of nearly all of our modern ones. Capitals were used altogether till the seventh century, when small letters began to come in. Punctuation, unknown at first, was introduced about 250 B. C. and was finally reduced to a system in 1500 by Aldus, the famous Venetian printer.—London Answers.

## Hay's Hair Health

YOU'LL BE SURPRISED TO SEE HOW YOUNG YOU LOOK WHEN YOUR HAIR IS RESTORED TO ITS NATURAL COLOR.

There's no excuse for unattractive gray or faded hair. It makes you look old when you're not—it's unsightly and embarrassing. Hay's Hair Health will bring back the natural color and beauty, and make your hair bright, luxuriant and full of youthful vitality. Stops dandruff and falling out. Purely vegetable and harmless—not a dye.

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Our store will be open every night until 8 o'clock—Saturday nights until 9 o'clock. G. W. Weaver and Son.

## Town Properties at Private Sale

The undersigned will sell at private sale any or all of the following properties:

No. 1. A house and lot on South Washington Street adjoining John Zhea and Nelson Flaherty, being the old Erter home.

No. 2. A house and lot on Breckenridge Street adjoining John Heilicker and Geo. Wheeler.

No. 3. A house and lot on South Washington Street adjoining the Colored Church and the Menchey heirs, known as the Herrigan House.

No. 4. House and lot adjoining lots of Lewis Kumerant on Church Alley.

Apply to HELENA ERTTER, Executrix, Middle Street.

GE. JACOBS, Refd. SPECIALIST IN LENSES FOR THE EYES. 1st Nat. Bank Bldg. OCT. 4 TO 9

## N. & W. Norfolk & Western

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT JUNE 20, 1909. LEAVE HAGERSTOWN, Md., DAILY. 1.45 a. m.—For Luray, Natural Bridge, Roanoke, Pula, Bristol, Bluefield, Pocahontas, Norton and Welch Pullman sleeper Philadelphia, Welch and Gary. Connects at Roanoke for Winston and Charlotte, N.C. Dining Car, 7.42 a. m.—For Luray, Natural Bridge, Roanoke, Bristol and intermediate stations. Pullman sleeper New York, Bristol, Tenn. Connects at Roanoke for Bluefield, Pocahontas, Columbus, Cincinnati and the West. Pullman sleeper, Dining Car, 8.55 p. m.—For Luray, Elkton, and intermediate stations.

If you are thinking of taking a trip YOU want quotations, cheapest fares, reliable and correct information, as to routes, train schedules, the most comfortable and quickest way. Write and the information is yours for the asking, with one of our complete Map Folders. W. B. BEVILL, M. F. BRAGG, Gen'l Pass. Agt. Trav. Pass. Agt. Roanoke, Virginia.

## Western Maryland RR

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT SEPT. 26, 1909. Trains leave Gettysburg DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY, as follows: 8.52 a. m., for Baltimore, Manover and York and all intermediate points. 10.08 a. m., for Fairfield, Pen. Mar., Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Elkins, and all points westward. 3.42 p. m., for Baltimore, Manover, York and all intermediate points. 5.45 p. m., for B. & H. Division Points to Highfield, also Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Shippensburg and Hancock.

Sundays Only Sunday trains arrive at Gettysburg at 10.35 a. m. 5.40 p. m., local train to York. 5.50 p. m., for New Oxford, Hanover and intermediate points, and also Baltimore. A. Robertson, F. M. Howell, V. P. & Gen. Mgr. G. P. A.

PEARL NECKLACE LOST in Gettysburg on Friday. Reward at Times office.

# Troup Bros., Music House

Announces the Opening of a

## Grand Limerick Contest

In Which a Beautiful

\$350 Troup Bros., Upright Piano

Will be Given Away Absolutely Free as First Prize  
Second Prize—Lyraphone Piano Player Valued at \$250  
Third Prize

One \$100 Discount Purchasing Check, which will be accepted as first payment on any new piano on our floor.

Other Valuable Prizes

will be issued to each of the remaining contestants, as a reward for their efforts in this contest.

Everybody Should Try For It

Fair and interesting. Open to all. Nothing to enter. You have the same opportunity as any one else to win. Read the simple rules and conditions. A VALUABLE REWARD FOR "JUST A LINE"—You may think of one in a few minutes. It is worth trying for. This is no chance or catch. Everything fair and open.

Contest Closes October 12th at 9 p m

## Rules and Conditions

The Limerick, shown on the coupon below needs one more line. Fill it out. This last line must rhyme with the first two.

Not more than one answer will be received from the same party or family. No employee of this firm nor anyone engaged in the piano business may enter this contest.

It is conditional upon entering the contest that all contestants agree to abide by the decision of the judges, who will be disinterested parties, and whose decisions will be final. The awarding of prizes will be left entirely to them.

For convenience sake use coupon printed below, or exact written copy, in sending in your answer.

All answers must be in our office before 9 p. m., Oct. 12. In the event of a tie, for first, second or third prize, the first answer received will be awarded preference by the judges.

Here is a partial list of words that rhyme for the verse below: My, sigh, cry, why, shy, die, reply, thy, sky, nigh, fortify, etc.

## Coupon

Fill out the last line of verse below, also answer questions and sign Name and Address.

For a Piano on which to rely,  
Go to Troup's when you're ready to buy,  
Their quality's true,  
The price is right, too,

Write your line here

I submit herewith my Limerick and agree to abide by the decision of the Judges.

Name.....

No. and Street.....

Town.....

State.....

R. F. D.....

Have You a Piano?

Have You an Organ?

Gettysburg Times

## What is a Limerick?

A Limerick is a jingle, a short piece of poetry generally consisting of five lines, the last rhyming with the first two. Here is a sample Limerick completed:

Her Sweetheart at Christmas did bring  
A necklace, a brooch and a ring;  
In return at New Year  
Miss Molly said, "Here  
Is your chancetowin back everything."

## The Reason For It

The giving away of this large amount in prizes is made possible only through the assistance and co-operation of the large and wealthy factories we have so long represented in this section. The advertising received for our store and pianos repays us in a great measure for the large expenditure in prizes, and the people are directly benefitted. Our last contest was so very satisfactory our friends have asked us to have this one.

## A Few of the Factories Represented in This Section by Us

Chickering, Kimball, Schubert, Palmer, Jacob Doll, Kroeger, Haddorf, Raymond and many others.

Address all Answers to

Troup Bros., Music House

Retail Department

210 W. Market St., York, Pa.

The Piano to be Given Away

will be on exhibition at our booth at the York County Fair

We will pay 1-4 of a cent more than anybody else for calves delivered to our stable before 9 a. m., Friday morning, October 8.

SPALDING BROS.

First of the Season

Shell Oysters

at

Lackners Dining Rooms





#### ENGINEER SAVES CHILD

Crawls Out on Cowcatcher and Pulls Baby From Track.

Altoona, Pa., Oct. 5.—When the gate was left open at the home of Dr. Guy C. Robb's residence, Amelia Robb, two years old, walked out and disappeared. Finding the safety gates closed, she innocently walked under them and out onto the Pennsylvania tracks. A shifting engine came around the curve with a draft of cars. The child laughed and waved its hands, but the engineer applied the air, sprang through the cab door and jumped down upon the cowcatcher just in time to catch her in his arms as the locomotive dashed by.

Robbers' \$50,000 Horde Plowed Up. Champlain, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Farmer Vestburg, near here, plowed up gold coins estimated at \$50,000. It is believed the treasure was buried by persons who stole it from the British army camped near Champlain during the campaign against New York state.

Shot Himself in Hotel. Topeka, Kan., Oct. 5.—Roy G. Daniels, president of the Arkansas Amusement company, of Hot Springs, Ark., committed suicide at the National hotel by shooting. He left a letter giving the financial failure of several of his houses as the reason for his act.

#### PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

The Latest Closing Prices For Produce and Live Stock.

PHILADELPHIA. — FLOUR firm; winter low grades, \$4.15@4.40; winter clear, \$4.50@4.75; city mills, fancy, \$6.25@6.50. RYE FLOUR steady; per barrel, \$4.15@4.35. WHEAT firm; No. 2 red, western, \$1.11@1.12. CORN quiet; No. 2 yellow, local, 71@71½c. OATS steady; No. 2 white, 45@45½c.; lower grades, 44c. POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 14½@15½c.; old roosters, 12c. Dressed steady; choice fowls, 17c.; old roosters, 12c. BUTTER firm; extra creamery, 34c. EGGS firm; selected, 29@31c.; near by, 27c.; western, 27c. POTATOES steady; at 68@70c. per bushel.

Live Stock Markets.

PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards).— CATTLE steady; choice, \$6.55@7. SHEEP lower; lambs strong; prime wethers, \$4.00@4.75; culls and common, \$1.50@2.30; lambs, \$4.75@5.00; veal calves, \$9@9.25. HOGS active and higher; prime heavies, \$8.40@8.50; mediums, \$8.25@8.30; heavy Yorkers, \$8.10@8.25; light Yorkers, \$7.40@7.65; pigs, \$6.75@7.25; roughs, \$6.50@7.50.

Fined \$90 For Killing Rabbit. Media, Pa., Oct. 5.—Giovanni Mastropich was committed to Media jail in default of \$90 fines by Alderman Stockman, \$40 of which was for killing one rabbit and three robins at Brandywine Summit.

Pope Much Better; Resume Audiences. Rome, Oct. 5.—The pope is much better. He has resumed his audiences. For several days he has had pain and swelling in the leg, which indicated a recurrence of the gout.

Easily Explained. A Glasgow caddy once had as a fare an Inverness minister and his wife. He had to drive them through the poorer districts of the city, and on reaching their destination the minister, at the same time handing caddy his legal fare, asked: "Why are there so many poor people in this city, cabman?" Jehu looked hard at the parson for a minute before he replied: "Well, sir, I'm no vera sure; but, ye see, maist o' the poor folk drive cabs, and tips are scarce here."—Dunnie Advertiser.

#### Doing Their Duty

Scores of Gettysburg Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys. To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty. When they fail to do this the kidneys are sick.

Back-ache and many kidney ills follow; Urinary trouble, diabetes. Doan's Kidney Pills cure them all. Gettysburg people endorse our claim. Mrs. H. H. Ridinger, 25 Breckenridge St., Gettysburg, Pa., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are by no means a new remedy in my family, as I have often used them with excellent results. Recently I suffered from a constant back-ache and other symptoms of kidney trouble. I at once went to the People's Drug store and procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and it only required a few doses to relieve me. I am today without a sign of kidney complaint, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## TO PROBE PAR-SONS' CHARGES

Alleged Deal Between Tammany and Cannon to be Investigated.

### SPEAKER WANTS INQUIRY

Intimates That Charges Sprung From Disappointment at Failure to Get Committee Appointments.

Washington, Oct. 5.—There is a strong prospect that the house of representatives will engage in linen washing when it meets next December. Representative Herbert Parsons, of New York, will have an opportunity to make good his charge that an unholy alliance was made between Speaker Cannon and Tammany representatives in congress, whereby the New York legislature was to be stopped from passing legislation intended to prevent frauds in elections in New York city, in return for Democratic support in organizing the house. The charge is too serious to be passed lightly and there is no doubt an investigation will be ordered.

#### Cannon Courts Investigation.

Speaker Cannon has denied the charges and has indicated his willingness that an investigation be made. His secretary, Mr. Busbey, who is in this city, declares there was never any understanding between the speaker and Tammany regarding the support of the house organization in return for favors by the Republican legislature in Albany. The record of the votes upon the adoption of the rules of the house is pointed to as a refutation of the alleged compact. It is asserted that this record shows that the votes of New York Democrats were not expected to perfect the organization.

Speaker Cannon intimates that Mr. Parsons was disappointed and indignant because he did not receive an appointment on the committee on interstate and foreign commerce. The speaker's belief is that disappointment inspired the New York congressman's charges against Mr. Cannon. Mr. Parsons has emphatically denied that his committee assignments had anything whatever to do with his denunciation of what he declares was a deal between Tammany and New York leaders, whereby Tammany's aid in the house was to be repaid by Republican aid for Tammany in Albany.

#### House Will Investigate.

As Mr. Parsons is so emphatic in his charge and does not withdraw his public statement, there is nothing to be done now except to have the matter passed upon by a special committee of congress, just as last congress the charge of the late Governor, and former Representative Lilley, of Connecticut, that undue influence had been exerted in congress by a submarine boat company, was investigated. The integrity of the speaker of the house organization has been assailed by a member of the house, and a thorough investigation is imperative.

### FOUR DEAD IN PRAIRIE FIRE

Property Valued at \$2,000,000 Destroyed in Alberta.

Winnipeg, Oct. 5.—Hans Yagerason was burned to death, his niece, Mary Segestad, is dying in the hospital at Calgary, and property said to be valued at \$2,000,000 has been destroyed by the prairie fire which swept the Hutton-Alberta district last week. The fire is still burning fiercely.

Mother and Two Children Perish. Stettler, Alberta, Oct. 5.—The wife of a farmer named Grover, living near Leo, and their two children lost their lives in a prairie fire near here. The mother saw the fire approaching and set out to a neighbor's with the two children, but was overtaken by the fire before reaching there.

Advertised as Dead; Is Arrested. Pittsburgh, Oct. 5.—Theodore J. Lecky, whose death notice appeared in Pittsburgh newspapers last Saturday, was arrested and a technical charge of suspicious person stands against him. The notice, telling of Lecky's supposed death at the family residence, brought relatives and friends from a distance to offer condolences. Many floral pieces were sent. The notice was telephoned to the newspapers.

Bull Gouges Out Child's Eye. Mahanoy City, Pa., Oct. 5.—Beatrice Reed, a seven-year-old girl of this city, while playing in a field on her father's farm in Locust valley, was attacked by a vicious bull and her eye gouged out by the horn of the infuriated animal. Farm hands prevented further violence to the child by chasing the bull off.

Blast Kills One; Injures Two. Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 5.—Jacob Turcl, of this city, was instantly killed, and Joseph Kuchie, of Lattimer, and Fred Matz, of Hazleton, were injured by the explosion of a blast at a tunnel at the Lattimer operations of C. Pardee Brothers & Co.

Suicide in Connecticut Capitol. Hartford, Conn., Oct. 5.—John C. Taylor, secretary of the Connecticut Prison association, committed suicide at his office in the state capitol.

Signal Flags. Signaling by flags, as the term is now universally understood, was invented in the year 1854 by Surgeon Myer of the United States army. Before Surgeon Myer's invention the only flag signaling was by color; but, realizing the inadequacy of such a mode of conveying information, Dr. Myer studied out the system of "wigwagging," or talking, by making motions with the flag, a sort of deaf and dumb telegraphy, which has since been adopted by pretty nearly all the nations of the world.—New York American.

### EXPRESS NEARLY WRECKED

Tire on Locomotive Broke While Train Was Going at Full Speed. Johnstown, Pa., Oct. 5.—The Pennsylvania railroad's eighteen-hour flyer, westbound, near the local passenger station narrowly escaped a disastrous wreck when the tire of one of the big driving wheels on the locomotive broke into several pieces while the train was going at full speed. The running board above the driving wheel on the left side was wrecked. Quick action on the part of the engineer resulted in stopping the train before it had left the tracks or anyone had been injured. Another engine was secured from Conemaugh and the train proceeded after a delay of about half an hour.

### ACCUSED OF WIFE MURDER

Husband and Son Charged With Throwing Woman From Cliff. Birch Cove, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Charged with having murdered Mrs. Jane Collier and throwing her body from a cliff, Solomon Collier, her husband, and John Collier, her son, were arrested at Portauport Bar. The woman's body was found at the bottom of the cliff, frightfully mangled. The authorities allege that the woman, who was fifty years of age, had been cruelly treated by her husband and son for several years past.

### DENMARK WANTS COOK'S DATA FIRST

People Feel That They Are Entitled to the Privilege.

Copenhagen, Oct. 5.—The announcement of Dr. Cook's willingness to request the University of Copenhagen to waive its claim to the first examination of the records of his journey to the North Pole, causes keen disappointment, and, whatever may be the reply of the university to the explorer's request, present indications do not forebode a graceful acquiescence on the part of the general public.

The rector of the university in the course of an interview said: "No such request has yet been received from Dr. Cook and it is impossible to say what attitude the university will take towards the suggestion that American and other scientific bodies shall first view the explorer's data. The action of the university will depend on the reason Dr. Cook gives."

The general public is inclined to be annoyed at the suggestion that foreign scientific bodies shall first see the records. The people consider the promise to give the university here the first opportunity of passing upon the records as nothing but justice, in view of the honors heaped upon the explorer by both the university and the Danish public and their ungrudging support and belief in his exploits.

Pass on Peary vs. Cook. New York, Oct. 5.—The officers of the Peary Arctic club held a meeting to pass formally upon the proof of Commander Robert E. Peary that he has obtained to show that Dr. Cook did not reach the pole. The statement will be made public in a few days.

### BANDITS HANG UP WOMAN

Suspended Two Hours With Toes Just Touching Floor.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 5.—Mrs. W. B. Scott, wife of a baker of this city, was found in the woodshed of her home gagged and suspended by the wrists from the rafters, so that her toes just touched the floor. The woman had been hung there by two masked men and had been tied up for more than two hours when her husband and a neighbor found her. Her assailants searched the house for money.

### Fined \$3300 For Selling Liquor.

Danville, Ky., Oct. 5.—Colonel E. W. Lillard, representative of this (Boyle) county in the Kentucky legislature, was fined \$3300 in the police court in this city on forty-five warrants charging him with the illegal sale of liquor. Colonel Lillard, who has been proprietor of a drug store for many years, was allowed to pay \$300 in full satisfaction of judgment, under the condition that his store be closed permanently.

Glad Leper Got Away. Gloucester City, N. J., Oct. 5.—The officials of the Camden county institution at Blackwood, from which Charles Clark, the leper boy, escaped recently, are confident the lad will not be recaptured on his occasion. They do not hesitate to say they hope he has left the country altogether, as he has been a source of much annoyance to them since his commitment to the place two years ago.

Charged With Misapplying Funds. New York, Oct. 5.—Noah E. Barnes, president of the Cottonwood Copper company, was arrested, charged by Robert Kuehnert, secretary of the company, with having misapplied \$17,000 of the company's funds in 1908.

Baltimore Flag Statue Finished. Paris, Oct. 5.—The marble statue representing the birth of the idea of the American flag, ordered by the city of Baltimore from M. Merles, the sculptor, has been completed and will be shipped shortly to America.

The Naked Truth. There is an ancient fable which tells us that on a summer afternoon Truth and Falsehood set out to bathe together. They found a crystal spring. They bathed in the cool, fresh water, and Falsehood, emerging first, clothed herself in the garments of Truth and went her way. But Truth, unwilling to put on the garb of Falsehood, departed naked. And to this day Falsehood wears Truth's fair white robes, so that many persons mistake her for Truth's very self, but poor Truth still goes naked.

## WRIGHT FLIES UP THE HUDSON

From Governor's Island to Grant's Tomb and Back.

20 MILES IN 33 MIN. 33 SEC.

Aviator Was Greeted by Wild Cheers From Warships and Banks of the River When He Established a New Record for Aeroplanes.

New York, Oct. 5.—An aeroplane flashed past the white dome of Grant's tomb, then, turning gracefully in mid-air over the waters of the Hudson, shot like a falcon back to Governor's Island, ten miles away. Wilbur Wright, of Dayton, O., thus placed his name in the rank with Hudson and Fulton in one of the most spectacular feats in the history of aeronautics.

Over the mass of warships, from whose decks the hoarse cheers of the sailors were borne up to him in his elevated seat, he flew for twenty miles—ten miles up and ten miles back—remaining in the air for thirty-three minutes and thirty-three seconds and alighting at the aerodrome without a mishap.

Business Suspended During Flight. During the flight business was practically at a standstill in all that part of Manhattan from which a view of his remarkable performance was available. Harbor craft shrieked their applause, cheer after cheer swept up from the banks of the Hudson and the lower bay—for the Dayton aviator had "made good," crowning the aviation program of the Hudson-Fulton celebration with a record.

Almost indistinguishable against the gray banked clouds, the machine soared past old Castle Williams and soon entered the canon made by the giant skyscrapers of Manhattan Island and the Jersey hills. At this point the aeroplane was flying at a height of nearly 200 feet, but unexpected air currents caused by the great buildings moved the aviator to bring his craft closer to the water. Tilting the elevator, he slowly brought the machine down, sloping gradually until he was but a bare hundred feet above the tooting ferries and the busy river traffic. His motor was churning as regularly as a clock and, settling himself in his seat, he sped onward up the river.

Over the warships of four great powers he passed, his progress marked by cheers from the sailors of his own country and those of Great Britain, Germany, France and Italy. The blue-jackets lined the rails of their ships and gazed in wonderment at the little craft above them, perhaps thinking vaguely that some day it might render their own monster fighting machines obsolete.

#### Returned at High Speed.

When the air vessel reached the British cruiser Argyll, anchored an eighth of a mile above Grant's tomb, Wright brought his direction rudders into play, and descending an easy and graceful curve, started on his return journey down the river. The wind conditions which had bothered him on the journey up were now more favorable, and it was here that the speed possibilities of the machine were demonstrated. While the ten miles up the stream occupied nearly twenty minutes, the return flight was made in little more than thirteen minutes, or at a rate approximately of forty-two miles an hour.

Among the first to extend his congratulations was Major General Leonard Wood, U. S. A., commanding the department of the east, who had been an interested spectator. Other army officers also warmly shook the aviator by the hand, exclaiming: "It was a splendid performance; I congratulate you."

American and foreign naval officers gathered here who witnessed Wilbur Wright's flight up the Hudson, while impressed with the manner in which the aviator controlled his craft, are nevertheless of the opinion that the machine would be an easy target for shrapnel fired from the big guns. This was the view taken by Commander Sims, of the Minnesota, who pointed out that an aviator out of gun range would be equally out of position to drop a projectile on a battleship.

#### Paid For Serving Time.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 5.—The supreme court affirmed a judgment awarding Mabel Wellington \$3500 for her services during seven years' confinement in the House of the Good Shepherd at Detroit. The supreme court held that such detention without a court order was intolerable, even though it was made with a view to the girl's best interests.

#### Will Give School \$1,700,000.

New York, Oct. 5.—Charles M. Pratt, general secretary of the Standard Oil company and president of the Pratt Institute, of Brooklyn, announced that he and his sister, Mrs. E. B. Dane, would soon give to the school an endowment fund of \$1,700,000.

#### Boy Smothered Picking Coal.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 5.—A cavity in an abandoned stripping at Beaver Brook, from which Robert and John Price and William Wear, three boys, who were picking coal, collapsed and smothered Robert Price. The others were revived.

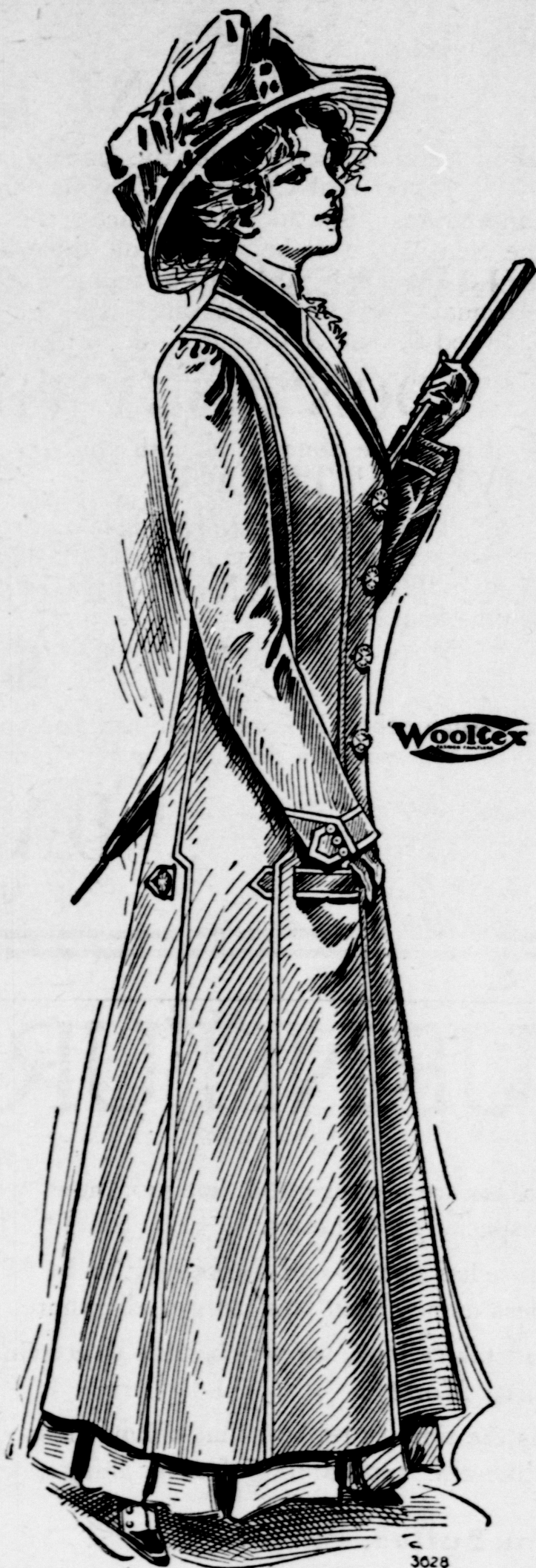
#### The Skirmish.

The yokels were enjoying the fun of the fair. Seeing an old fiddler playing in the street, some of them went over to him, and one, handing him two pence, asked him to play the "Battle of Stirling Bridge."

The old fiddler took the money and went rasping away the same as before. The yokels getting tired of this, the spokesman again went over to the fiddler and said to him, "Hi, man, that's no 'Battle of Stirling Bridge.'"

"I ken no," replied the old fiddler; "that's the skirmish before the battle!" —London Scraps.

Gettysburg, Pa.



## True Comfort in Wooltex Soft Tailoring

The famous "soft tailoring" of which the French dressmakers boast is found in all Wooltex coats.

Roll one up, then shake it out and you will see no creases. That's because the inside--the part you must take on faith--is properly made, of the right materials.

Wooltex revers cannot roll up. The collar hugs the neck and lies flat and close, and is faced with melton like a man's collar, so it cannot lose its shape by turning up.

Throughout two seasons of steady service your Wooltex coat will keep its shape and the lining will not wear out. Or if it should, you will get a new one, without question, without charge.

G. W. Weaver & Son

## A HINT FOR YOUNG MEN==

You will be doubly welcome when you go calling

if you take with you a box of

GUTH'S or BELLE MEAD Sweet Chocolate

Exclusively at the

PEOPLE'S DRUG STORE



# SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

## We Have Added A MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT

to our establishment, under the management of an Expert Cutter and Designer from Baltimore.

If you want Clothes to fit your person as well as your personality they **MUST** be made to measure. The additional space recently acquired—a large bright room 35x42 ft. (formerly occupied by the Sentinel) will be used for this department where **CLOTHES of ELEGANCE and SHAPLINESS** will be tailored, where all the small **DETAILS** that go to make up "Smart Garments" will be carried out to the very letter. Only such Craftsmen who from long experience have acquired the art of producing a Perfectly Tailored Garment, will be called into service.

## DON'T BUY THAT SUIT OR OVER COAT

until you have honored us with your inspection of our full and complete line of new and **EXCLUSIVE PATTERNS**.

To introduce **OUR** ideas of Proper clothes' **MAKING**—to put you in touch with our designers original suggestions, and to truthfully admit, try to make you a valued patron of our new **MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT**. We will make to order (for one week only) a Suit or Overcoat for

**\$19.00**

for which other Tailors would ask \$22.50 or probably \$25.00. These fabrics are all worsted and include all the Colorings in demand for Fall and Winter attire for Gentlemen.

**DAVIS & CO.**

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Our values are always good, but just now we can give you some especially good ones.

Our store has always had the reputation for selling better goods for less money than you can get elsewhere.

Why not take a look, we will be able to convince you that you can **Save Money**.

Now is the time to replace that old mattress with a new one, and likewise replace lots of other things:

**Bedroom Suites, Parlor Suites,  
Dining Room Suites, Rockers, etc.**

**H. B. BENDER,**  
The Homefurnisher.

## LOOK! LOOK!

Don't throw away your last year's hat. I can make it look like new. Let me clean it.

**Gettysburg Shoe Shining Parlor  
George Pettis, Prop.**  
Opposite College Lutheran Church, Chambersburg St.

## Assignees Notice

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County. In re assigned estate of J. Lowry Hill.

The creditors of said estate are hereby notified and required, within six months from this date, to make proof of their claims in the manner set forth in the Act of Assembly approved June 4th, 1901, or be barred from coming in on the fund. Proof of claim can be filed either with the undersigned, or J. L. Butt, their attorney.

Sep. 20, 1909.

H. B. SLONAKER,

J. P. BIGHM, Assignees.

## Administrators Sale

On Thursday, the 21st day of October 1909, the undersigned administrator of Rachael Jacoby late of Butler township Adams County, Pa., deceased, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, will sell on the premises the following described real estate situate in Butler township, Adams County: Adjoining lands of Wm. McIlhenny, John Jacoby and Lizzie Boyer, along the state road leading from Gettysburg to Harrisburg about 2 miles from Heidlersburg, containing 2 acres and 40 perches improved with a two story log and weatherboarded dwelling house, frame stable and other out buildings, well of water and a lot of fruit trees.

Also at the same time and place will be sold the following personal property of said decedent: corner cupboard, bureau, sink, tables, chests, lot of chairs and rocking chairs, sewing machine, bedsteads and bedding, lot of carpet, clock, featherbeds and pillows, barrel, tub, chair and buck, cook stove and fixtures, 2 1/2 doz. fruit jars, 2 smoothing irons, lot of dishes, tin ware, stone crocks, large stone jar (6 gallons) doughtray stand and cover 2 brass kettles, lard cans, 2 desks, paper rack, mirror, ladder, buggy and spring wagon.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M. when terms and conditions will be made known by

GEO. MECKLEY,

Adm.

## Assignees Notice

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County. In re assigned estate of Mary F. Hill.

The creditors of said estate are hereby notified and required, within six months from this date, to make proof of their claims in the manner set forth in the Act of assembly approved June 4th, 1901 or be barred from coming in on the fund. Proof of claim can be filed either with the undersigned or J. L. Butt, his attorney.

Sep. 20, 1909.

H. B. Slonaker, Assignee.

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Funeral Director

**PROMPT SERVICE.**  
EITHER DAY OR NIGHT  
Gettysburg, Pa.

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## Executors Sale

On Saturday, the 16th day of October, 1909, the undersigned, Executor of last will and Testament of Alfred R. Logan, late of Butler Township, Adams County, Pa., deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises, under an order and decree of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, the following valuable real estate, to wit:

All that certain tract of land, situate one half mile Northeast of Table Rock along the road leading from Table Rock to Benders Church road, adjoining lands of Henry Lower, Luther Plank, Scott Bros., John Sheets, Conowago Creek and others, containing one hundred acres, more or less, and improved with a two story brick dwelling house, frame bank barn and out buildings. Well of water at the house and well at barn, and good fruit on premise.

This property is conveniently located to stores, mill, school and churches and will make a most desirable home.

Sale to begin at 2 o'clock P. M. when terms will be made known by  
O. F. S. A. LOGAN,  
Executor.

G. R. Thompson, auctioneer.

## PRIVATE SALE

Farm in Butler Township on road between Arendtsville and Gettysburg, one mile from former place. Farm contains 81 acres. Good buildings. Inquire of the heirs of

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All over this broad land millions of stomach owners are being held in humiliating subjection just because they are so stubborn that they will not accept a fair square and broad minded offer.

Life is short for all of us; it will be shorter for those who let their stomachs go from bad to worse.

The People's Drug Store has a famous prescription called Mi-o-na and they believe so thoroughly in its remarkable curative power that they say to every owner of a disordered stomach that they will guarantee Mi-o-na tablets to cure acute or chronic indigestion and all stomach ailments or money back, and the price is only 50c a box.

And still there are stubborn people right in Gettysburg who won't accept this offer but continue to suffer from gas on stomach, belching of sour food, stomach pains, foul breath, dizziness, biliousness and headaches just because—just because—that's all, there is no other reason.

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You can get where the germs are by breathing Hyomei, the powerful yet soothing antiseptic, which is prepared especially to kill catarrh germs.

Just breathe it in, that's all.

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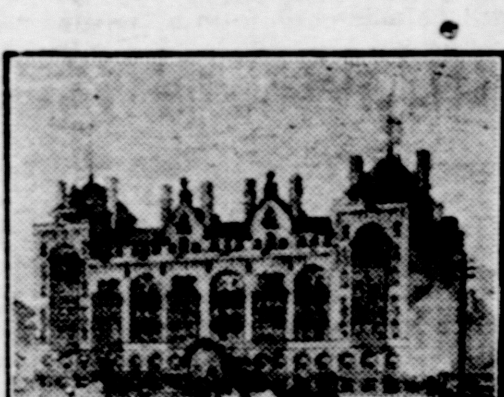
It is guaranteed by The People's Drug Store to cure catarrh, or money back.

It is sold by leading druggists everywhere. A complete outfit, including inhaler, costs \$1.00. Extra bottles, 50c. Cures sore throat, coughs and colds.

I take especial pride in recommending Hyomei to asthmatic sufferers, as I know by experience that it is a remedy that cures. I have not since using Hyomei had any recurrence of asthma.

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## AGRICULTURE IN ALASKA.

Remarkable Possibilities of the Far Northwest Possession.

The area of Alaska is so great that the United States government maintains five agricultural experiment stations in the territory, so situated that crops may be tested under all the climatic conditions. Sitka, on the strip of coast projecting southeast, has a fairly mild climate, while the station at Rampart is close to the arctic circle. C. C. Georgeson, special agent in charge of all the stations, in his annual report for 1908, recently issued by the United States department of agriculture, declares unqualifiedly that "Alaska is an agricultural country," that good hay can be produced "in any quantity" for winter feeding, while the native grasses "can maintain live stock in excellent condition in summer." He says also that "potatoes, cabbage, cauliflower, rhubarb, turnips, lettuce and, in short, all the hardy vegetables can be grown to perfection up to and even within the arctic circle, as has been proved by thousands of settlers." But before Alaska can be largely settled railroads and wagon roads must be built. Under present conditions, he says, "few farmers can afford to go to Alaska with their families, live stock and equipment." The expense of transportation "would equal the cost of a farm in the states."

Abundant sunshine is essential for good crops in Alaska. In 1908 the rainfall during the growing season at Sitka was 16.22 inches against 24.76 inches the year before and 18.91 inches in 1906. The smaller rainfall meant more sunshine, and the result in 1908 was large crops of potatoes, cabbage, cauliflower and various root crops. The quality also was better.

Mr. Georgeson believes that Alaska has undeveloped resources sufficient for the support of a large population. But there, as he says, "Nature is stern and uncompromising, and we must submit to the conditions she imposes."

Among many interesting facts given in the report is this: Watermelons were brought to maturity out of doors on the Hot Springs farm, which is in the Tanana valley, in latitude 64 degrees north. It seems that on part of this farm the soil is warmed from the same source, whatever it is, that heats the water of the springs. This farm has now 150 acres regularly under crop, the greater portion devoted to potatoes.

## The Pest That Kills Plums.

The quickest and most economical method of fighting the curculio where there are only a few trees is to place a sheet under each tree early in the morning as soon as the insects appear and jar the trunks. When they fall gather and burn. This should be done twice a week for two or three weeks, when most, if not all of them, can be caught before the fruit is injured. The plum, the damson and the apricot are the fruits most injured. Slugs that attack the pear and other trees may be killed by dusting the leaves when damp with fresh air slaked lime. Apple trees should be sprayed early in the spring when buds commence to form, after the blossoms fall, when half grown. The bordeaux and paris green solution is the best remedy. These solutions may be had already prepared at the agricultural stores.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting in the system in doing its work. The proprietors have to much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Corn	80
Rye	65
New Oats	45

## RETAIL PRICES

	Per 100
Badger Cow Feed	1.30
Schmacker Stock Feed	1.50
Wheat Bran	\$1.25
Corn and Oats Chop	1.50
White Middlings	1.50
Red Middlings	1.40
Timothy hay	80
Rye chop	1.60
Baled straw	50
Plaster	\$7.50 per ton
Cement	\$1.25 per bbl
Flour	\$5.50
Western flour	7.00
Wheat	1.30
Corn	85
New oats	50

## PRODUCE AT WHOLESALE

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The Gettysburg Driving Club will hold the last matinee of the season on

**Friday, October 8th., 1909**

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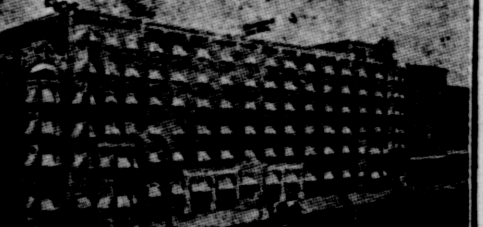
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